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| TOTAL CLAIMS | 1 | MINUS | 20 | = 0 | X \$18 | \$ 0 |
| INDEP. CLAIMS | 1 | MINUS | 3 | = 0 | X \$86 | \$ 0 |
| [] FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM | | | | | + \$290 | \$ 0 |
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RESPONSE TO OCTOBER 3, 2003 OFFICE ACTION

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In response to the October 3, 2003 Office Action, please amend the application for patent as follows:

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